PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN PLACE AND TIME!!! BOARD OF REGENTS FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

MEETING TO BE HELD AT:

West Warwick Senior High School 1 Webster Knight Drive West Warwick, RI 02893

Thursday, March 4, 2010 5:00 p.m.

AGENDA

- 1. Commissioner's Report
- 2. Public Remarks
- 3. Chairman's Remarks
- 4. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Regents Meeting of February 4, 2010; February 4, 2010, Executive Session; February 25, 2010, Work Session and February 25, 2010 Executive Session

APPROVAL ITEMS

5. Endorsement of Education Funding Formula

[Enclosure 5]

RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Endorses and Transmits the Proposed Calculations for an Education Aid Funding Formula to interested stakeholders, as attached.

6. <u>Approval of Certification Redesign, for public hearing</u> [Enclosure 6]

RECOMMENDATION: THAT, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approve, for the Purpose of Public Hearing, the Transitional Renewal Process and Establish a One Year Professional Transitional Certificate, as presented.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 7. Budget Update
- 8. Legislative Update
- 9. Agenda for Future Meetings

The next meeting of the Board of Regents will be a work session and is scheduled on March 18 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Shepard Building, Room 501. Additional information about the agenda is available in the Office of the Commissioner of Education, Shepard Building, 255 Westminster Street, Providence, RI 02903. The Shepard Building has been deemed accessible to those with disabilities by the State Building Commissioner. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired or needing other

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